

PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. **6832.0013**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Craig A. ROSEN et al.) Group Art Unit: 1653
Application No.: 09/832,929)) Examiner: Hope A. Robinson
Filed: April 12, 2001))
For: ALBUMIN FUSION PROTEINS)))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed November 4, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are included in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.

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